

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

|                                      |   |                            |
|--------------------------------------|---|----------------------------|
| In re Application of:                | ) | Group Art Unit: 3738       |
|                                      | ) |                            |
| FOGARTY, Thomas J., et al.           | ) |                            |
|                                      | ) |                            |
| Serial No.: 10/646,639               | ) | Examiner: Paul B. Prebilio |
|                                      | ) |                            |
| Filed: August 22, 2003               | ) |                            |
|                                      | ) |                            |
| For: PROSTHESIS FIXTURING DEVICE AND | ) |                            |
| METHODS OF USING THE SAME            | ) |                            |
| _____                                | ) |                            |

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

TRANSMITTAL

Dear Sir/Madam:

In connection with the above-identified application, enclosed herewith for filing are the following:

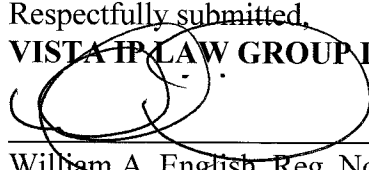
- ☒ Transmittal (1 pg.)
- ☒ Amendment and Response to Office Action/Restriction (17 pgs.)

Applicants hereby petition for a one month extension of time. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees that may be required to Deposit Account No. 50-1105 (Matter ARB-9003). Applicants believe the total fee due is \$60 for the extension of time.

Respectfully submitted,  
**VISTA IP LAW GROUP LLP**

Dated: May 22, 2006

By:

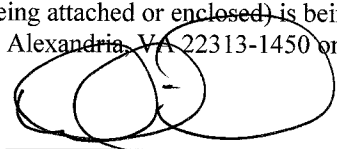
  
William A. English, Reg. No. 42,515  
Attorneys for Applicants

2040 Main Street, 9<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Irvine, California 92614  
Telephone: (562) 665-3953  
Facsimile: (949) 625-8955

CERTIFICATE OF TRANSMISSION

I hereby certify that this paper (along with any referred to as being attached or enclosed) is being transmitted to Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. BOX 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on the date shown below via the USPTO EFS-Web filing system.

May 22, 2006  
Date of transmission

  
William A. English